

THEODORE INSISTS

at the Negro Crum be Appointed to Job in South Carolina But Senator Tillman Thinks Otherwise.

Washington, March 6.—In again picking up, Senator Tillman announces positively that Crum's nomination never will come to a vote in the senate. "I myself" said he, "will make contract, if necessary, to talk to death whenever it is presented, and I shall not lack plenty of assistance."

NO MAN MAY BE CHIEF JUSTICE.

Fuller Retires, Roosevelt May Appoint Wm. R. Taft.

Washington, D. C., March 6.—Gov. R. Taft, of the Philippines, is chief justice of the supreme of the United States within a few days. It is understood here that Chief Justice Fuller is to retire on account of health and that President Roosevelt will name the civil governor of the Philippines to succeed him. Prominent Democrats are bringing great pressure to bear upon the chief justice to remain upon the bench. President Cleveland appointed Chief Justice Fuller in 1888.

STRIKING FEATURE

Uncle Sam's Foreign Commerce is the Growth in the Importations of Manufacturers' Materials.

Washington, Mar. 6.—The growth of importations of manufacturers' materials continues to be the striking feature of the statistics of our foreign trade. The value of manufactured material imported in January was \$42,328,749 as against \$37,749,000 in January 1902. This shows a decrease over January of last year of \$5,016,235, a gain of 14 per cent in a single year in the value of manufacturers' materials imported. Comparing the 7 months ending with January 1903, with the corresponding months of the preceding year, the gain is \$17,000,000, or 17 per cent. The figures for the months ending with January 1903 are as follows:

For a corresponding period, in the history of our import trade, the increase in the importation of manufacturers' materials is shown in nearly every important class of articles which combine to form this group. Importations of hides and skins, for example, have increased from 125 million pounds in the 7 months ending with January 1899 to 185 million pounds in the 7 months ending with January 1903; cotton importations have increased from 21 million to 40 million pounds; cotton waste, from 3 million to 10½ million pounds; silk, from 4 million to 9 million pounds; tin, from 25 million to 35 million pounds; tobacco, from 6 million to 18 million pounds; wool, from 38 million to 88 million pounds; copper, from less than 3 million dollars to over 12 millions; value: manila hemp, from 27 thousand to 35½ thousand tons; and sugar, from 35 thousand tons to 82 thousand tons.

The following table shows the value of manufacturers' materials imported, and the share which they form of the total imports in the 7 months ending with January of each year from 1887 to 1903:

Year	Value	Per cent.
1887	\$140,434,209	36.31
1888	145,125,669	35.41
1889	147,196,647	34.53
1890	152,116,755	34.46
1891	168,772,582	35.57
1892	157,905,341	34.41
1893	180,442,014	37.25
1894	118,928,360	30.67
1895	145,163,721	35.83
1896	198,968,017	41.66
1897	134,607,997	36.77
1898	153,803,684	45.13
1899	147,306,168	40.13
1900	219,701,639	45.17
1901	187,446,656	40.84
1902	257,369,135	45.12
1903	277,517,776	48.39

The rapid growth in importations of manufacturers' materials has been chiefly since 1899. From 1889 to 1899 there was very little growth in importation of manufacturers' materials, the figures for the 7 months ending with January 1899 being \$147,306,168, and those of the 7 months ending with January 1899, \$147,306,168. In 1899, however, the growth has been rapid, and the total value of importations of manufacturers' materials imported in the 7 months ending with January 1903 is \$277,517,776, or 48.39 per cent greater than the average value of manufacturers' materials imported during the period 1889-99, and is more than double some of the values of that period. Not only is importation of manufacturers' materials actually increased, but the value which they form of the grand total imports has also greatly increased. In 1889 manufacturers' materials formed less than 34 per cent of total imports of the country, the 7 months ending with January 1903, they formed over 46 per cent, and which they form of the total imports being larger for this period than at any earlier time.

SIX MILLIONS Expended to Improve the Pere Marquette.

St. Mich., March 6.—The new of directors of the Pere Marquette, it is learned, have authorized an expenditure of \$6,000,000 for, led by the Armstrong.

GORMAN CHOSEN.

Washington, March 6.—Senator Arthur P. Gorman, of Maryland, was elected chairman of the Democratic caucus today, which position carries with it that of Democratic floor leader in senate.

PENSION Of \$125 Per Month Granted Widow of Surgeon Reed.

Norfolk, Va., March 6.—Mrs. Emily B. Reed, widow of the late Surgeon Reed of the army, who discovered that mosquitoes conveyed yellow fever germs and thereby rid Ponce and Havana of the dreaded disease for the first time in years, today was officially notified that the president had signed the act of congress allowing her a pension of \$125 per month, for life.

TWO HUNDRED Entered to Compete in the Wrestling Contest.

New York, March 6.—Judging by the large number of ambitious amateur wrestlers who have sent in their entries for the amateur wrestling championships of the A. A. U., which are to begin at the New Polo athletic club tonight, the tourney will be the most successful ever brought off in this vicinity. The list of prospective contestants includes over two hundred names.

The events will be as follows: Bantamweight, 105 pounds and under; featherweight, 115 pounds and under; special weight, 125 pounds and under; lightweight, 135 pounds; welterweight, 145 pounds; and middleweight, 158 pounds and under.

OUT AGAIN IN AGAIN.

Cleveland, O., March 6.—Peter Carlin, let out of the Cleveland work house this morning after four years, disposed of a case of whiskey, tapped a saloon till for \$655 was under arrest by noon, sentenced to 30 days in the work and was on his way out before 1 p. m. Carlin says he has been in every penal institution in Ohio and several in New York.

CLOSE CALL For Two Hundred Inmates of a Burning Hotel.

Pittsburg, Pa., Mar. 6.—Hope Mission hotel, conducted by benevolent people for poor lodgers, caught fire this morning. Two hundred inmates were rescued with great difficulty. Three roomers taken out by the firemen, were unconscious, but will probably recover. The money loss is small.

SKILES OF OHIO Has a Good Chance of a Speedy Recovery.

Washington, Mar. 6.—Congressman Skiles, of Ohio, who is ill with pneumonia, has recovered ground lost yesterday and his physicians are now confidently sanguine to predict his speedy recovery unless the patient should have an unexpected relapse.

SO SERIOUS Is Pope's Condition That Conclave is Spoken of.

London, Mar. 6.—A Rome dispatch says the pope's health has become so serious that a conclave is deemed necessary. Foreign cardinals in Rome have been requested to delay their departure, according to the dispatch.

Chicago Stock Market: Chicago, March 6.—Cattle 3,000, slow, weak, lower; hogs 20,000, active, 10¢ decline; sheep 5,000, active, 10¢ lower.

ONE CHOSEN.

Single Vote Saved the Day For the Wets.

Beal Law Election Lost at Bluffton.

A Total of Five Hundred and Twenty-Three Ballots Were Cast.

This Unprecedented Vote Entitles the Town to Two Voting Precincts—"Dry" May Contest the Election.

The heaviest vote that was ever polled in the town of Bluffton, was counted out there last night after the polls closed on the special election that had been held during the day, under the provisions of the Beal law, to determine whether or not the licensed liquor traffic should cease within the corporation limits of the town. The strength of the two opposing sides was tested to the limit and when the result was ascertained, the wets celebrated a victory won by a single vote. The toper can still secure his morning's warming without dodging down an alley in search of a "blind tiger."

The ballots cast on the proposition numbered in all 523—261 in favor of a dry town and 262 in favor of a wet town.

The church people were the instigators of the agitation to drive liquor from their home town, and realizing that they had a hard fight before them they strained every nerve toward its accomplishment. Men and Women, with this object in view neglected their other duties and spent their days and nights in seeking to make votes for their side of the question. Men who had never before taken sufficient interest in any of the national issues to induce them to do more than drop a perfunctory ballot into the box, became enthusiastic workers.

In the postoffice lobby, in the store, in the street, everywhere, the all absorbing topic held the attention of all and nothing else was talked of. Happenings usually of vital importance in villages like Bluffton and which, under ordinary circumstances, would have been told and retold, until threadbare from frequent handling, passed unnoticed, submerged in the flood of interest created by the liquor question. The anti-saloon people felt certain of success and were not slow to claim the victory even before the battle of the ballots began.

The result, as stated before, was a victory, by one vote, for the wets but the temperance people are not satisfied to allow the matter to rest at that but have demanded a recount of the vote.

There is one thing the vote in Bluffton has decided that is satisfactory to both sides. For a long time the people have wanted two voting places but until they could poll five hundred votes they were not entitled to them. The vote of Thursday, five hundred and twenty-three may give them the desired extra precinct.

NEW BOAT Torpedo Boat Destroyer on Trial Today.

Washington, D. C., March 6.—The rapidity with which the smaller type of craft as are being added to the United States navy is evidenced by the fact that scarcely a week passes that does not see a torpedo boat, a destroyer, monitor or other craft on its trial trip or put into commission. Today it is the torpedo boat destroyer Whipple that has its trial trip on Chesapeake Bay and tomorrow a sister boat, the Worden, will be tested over the same course. The two boats are of the same general type as the dozen or so others that have been commissioned during the last few years, of 433 tons displacement and designed to have a speed of from 28 to 30 knots an hour. Experience has brought the construction of these smaller craft down to a fine point and it is seldom that any of those turned out nowadays fails to come up to all the requirements of the contract, and oftentimes in the matter of speed the requirements are exceeded.

GRAIN AND PORK. Chicago, Ill., Mar. 6.—Closing May wheat 76; corn 47½; oats 35; pork 18.37.

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ROY WETHERILL, N. G. See, WHEAT TOWNSEND HAS.

SANKEY NOT BLIND

New York, March 6.—The report from New Castle, Pa., that Ira D. Sankey, the famous evangelist and hymn writer had been stricken with blindness, was denied at his home in Brooklyn this morning. It was said there that Mr. Sankey had been ill for two months with nervous prostration but that he was now much improved. The doctor, it is said, had ceased his visits and Mr. Sankey was able to be up and about the house.

DARK HORSE May be in the Running in Michigan Politics.

Detroit, Mich., March 6.—The Republican state convention for the nomination of a candidate for justice of the supreme court and two candidates for regents of the state university is in session here today. For the head of the ticket there are several candidates in the field. The rivalry between the Bliss and Stearns factions of the party may result in the naming of a dark horse, although the Bliss faction declares that its candidate, Judge Hooker, is sure of success.

As a win-up to the convention there will be a banquet tonight under the auspices of the Michigan club. Former Senator Thurston of Nebraska, Senator Galliger of New Hampshire and General Leonard Wood are scheduled as the principal speakers.

STRIKE IS OVER.

Chicago, Ill., March 6.—Striking packing house engineers returned to work this morning, having accepted the packers proposition to submit their grievances to arbitration. All of the plants affected resumed work with full forces.

ADJOURNED Legislature of Montana Quit Business at 2 O'clock.

Butte, Mont., March 6.—The legislature adjourned sine die at 2 o'clock this morning. One of the last acts of the legislature was to kill a bill to compel newspaper writers names to be signed to editorials and other articles.

PERILOUS Ride Taken by a Woman Under a Car.

When Discovered, She was Calmly Riding on a Board Over the Axle.

Huntington, W. Va., March 6.—When the C. & O. passenger train from Cincinnati rolled into the station this morning, a woman was discovered beneath a Pullman car riding on a board over the axle. She gave her name as Frances Leginee, and her home, Columbus, O. She said she had ridden in a box car from Columbus to Cincinnati and that at Cincinnati she boarded the bumpers of the passenger train and was headed for Richmond, Va., her former home. Almost her entire wearing apparel was torn away, her dress having caught about the axles of the car and she said she saved her life by clinging to a small iron rod.

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KNAPP'S HEARING

Will in All Probability Take Place the Middle of Next Week. Prisoner Receives Gushing Letter.

Hamilton, O., March 6.—The preliminary hearing of Alfred Knapp, will not take place today or tomorrow, owing to the primaries Saturday. Mayor Bosch and the attorney for Knapp will fix the date probably for the middle of next week. Knapp this morning received a letter from his wife Anna, written on her return from visiting him in jail. She writes a rambling letter and is profuse in her love and faith in him. She says her father will stand by him to the last and that she will probably see him again at the trial. The letter stated that a grocer had refused to furnish her with goods because she has no money and that she will go to work next week to earn a livelihood.

THEY WANT QUICK ACTION

Upon the Panama Canal Treaty Which is Suspicious.

The Republican Steering Committee is Doing Some Herculean Work in the Effort to Round Up the Big Canal Project.

Washington, Mar. 6.—The Republican senators will make a united effort to secure action on the Panama canal treaty as speedily as possible. A meeting of the Republican steering committee of the senate was held after adjournment yesterday, and this course was decided on. The situation was discussed at some length, and the conclusion reached that business might be greatly facilitated by keeping as many senators as possible in the city and in their seats, and the individual members of the steering committee agreed to devote their energies to this end. No one in the committee had any definite information as to the time that may be consumed in debating the treaties, but it was stated as a rumor that Senator Morgan had said that as there were a number of new members of the senate he would feel it incumbent on himself to go over the ground quite completely, and even to review much that he had already said. The evident purpose of the Republicans is to avoid, if possible, calls on account of the absence of a quorum, and to keep the senate running as steadily as possible.

When he retired he suggested Senator Clark, of Montana, as his successor, and as there was no opposition the suggestion was adopted and Mr. Clark was made a member of the committee. There is no objection to Mr. Clark as a member of the committee but there is a feeling on the part of some of the Democratic senators that the resignation of a member of so important a committee should be left to the caucus and not to an individual senator. It therefore seems probable that the caucus will ask to be allowed to fill the place and that Senator Clark will be named by the caucus.

ACCUSED MURDERER WILL BE RELEASED.

Police Believe the Eloping Fostoria Woman Suicided.

Chicago, Ill., Mar. 6.—The police now are convinced that Mrs. Eunice Kennedy, the Fostoria, Ohio, woman, who was found dead in the apartments of Albert Seron, with whom she had eloped to Chicago, came to her death by her own hand and Seron will be released this afternoon. Mrs. Kennedy was found dead in the apartments of Seron, who took a dose of strychnine during a fit of remorse.

FLAMES CAUSE GREAT DAMAGE.

Fair Haven was Swept by a \$500,000 Blaze This Morning.

Seattle, Washn., March 6.—Fair Haven was swept by a \$500,000 fire this morning, the blaze at one time threatening the entire water plant and business section of the city. It started in March's saw mill and spread by a heavy wind, spread with great rapidity. The entire northwest water front is in ruins. The Great Northern depot and lumber of the Great Northern saws, a big ware house with goods and lumber of the Chicago & North Western saws, and other structures were lost.

GENERAL ACTIVITY

Witnessed in the Buckeye Field in the
Month of February.

Allen County was in the Mix-up With Some
Favorable Results.

Several of the New Wells were Above the Average, While
Some were Small, But are Considered Good
Enough to Pump. Drilling Will be
Brisk During the Month.

OIL MARKET.

West oil	1.65
Pennsylvania oil	1.50
Somerset oil	.96
Corning oil	1.80
New Castle oil	1.37
North Lima oil	1.11
South Lima oil	1.06
Indiana oil	1.06

The Buckeye field witnessed a renewal of activity, during the last week of February, in all sections of the oil producing regions, and it looks at present as if the cold weather is a thing of the past, and an unusual amount of new work might be expected for this month.

Allen county has been the seat of quite a number of operations of late, and in almost every case fair wells have been found, with a few a little above the average. The Cleveland & Lima Oil Co. has a good one in its No. 4, on the N. Strayer farm, section 21, Amanda township, its first day's output amounting to 53 barrels.

In Marion township, section 11 the United States Petroleum Co. has a 40 barrel, on the J. O. Good farm, in its No. 2. In section 15, of the same township the Ohio Oil Co. No. 4, on the G. W. Isabier farm, made 15 barrels the first day. In section 8, of Jackson township, the Okeana Oil Co. & Burns have completed their No. 2, on the C. W. Young farm, and it made a good showing, its output for the first twenty-four hours after the shot being 50 barrels. H. W. Campbell's No. 1, on the J. R. Watt farm, located in section 17, same township, made 15 barrels for its initial output. Richland township has quite a few late completions to its credit and they are of a pretty fair calibre. The best of the lot is the New York and Lima Oil Co.'s No. 3, on the S. Hansen farm, in section 20. The

HEADACHE,

Whether caused by nervous affections or from a bilious condition of the system, can be quickly cured by Hostetter's Stomach Bitters. It gets at the root of the trouble—the stomach, and by making it strong and healthy, the nerves are strengthened and the liver and kidneys stimulated. Try it the next time your head aches. It will also cure indigestion, dyspepsia, constipation, insomnia and malaria.

**HOSTETTER'S
STOMACH BITTERS**

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral
For hard colds, chronic coughs. Ask your doctor if he has better advice. J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

\$33 to California

That is the Rock Island's rate from Chicago. In effect daily, February 15 to April 30. Tickets are good in tourist sleeping cars, which the Rock Island runs every day in the week Chicago to Los Angeles and San Francisco. These cars make quicker time to Southern California than similar cars over any other line. Cars are operated over both the "Scenic" and "Southern" lines. Folder giving full information mailed on request.



If you are going to California NOW. After May 1st it will cost you nearly \$100 more than at present. Low rates to Montana, Idaho, Utah and Puget Sound are now offered by the Rock Island. Write or call. We'll gladly give you full information.

Phil. A. Ayer, D.P.A., 415 Park Bldg., Pittsburg, Pa.

Constipation

Headache, biliousness, heartburn, indigestion, and all liver ills are cured by

Hood's Pills

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

completed their No. 3, on the Jacob Ames farm, section 17, Montgomery township, and have a 15 barrel, while J. H. Brandon & Co.'s No. 3, on the Chas. W. Smith farm, section 18, same township, produced only 5 barrels for its first day's output.

The Northern Oil Co. has secured a good well in its No. 9, on the Caroline Davis farm, in section 34, of Cass township, Hancock county. It made 75 barrels for the first twenty-four hours after the shot. In section 35, of the same township, J. W. Kirkbridge & Co. have completed their No. 15, on the J. B. Wagner farm, and have been rewarded with a 40 barrel.

In Union township, the Ohio Oil Co. has completed No. 7, on the H. F. Gorby farm, section 24, with a production for the first day of 25 barrels, and in section 27, the same people's No. 4 on the James Guin farm, responded to the shot at the rate of 20 barrels. In section 4, of Portage township, Stratton, Randolph & Co. have a 20 barrel in their No. 9, on the B. Derodes farm, while in section 10, W. H. Bennett has a 5 barrel as a result of the completion of No. 3, on the Catherine Cloud.

The Ohio Oil company has completed two 25 barrelers in section 13, of Allen township. They are its No. 5, on the J. H. Spitzer farm, and No. 10 on the Isaac Whetstone. The Sun Oil Co. has completed No. 9, on the S. W. Trout farm, in section 24, of the same township, and has a light producer, its output for the first twenty-four hours after the shot having been only 10 barrels. The Trenton Rock Oil & Gas Co. has increased its production 20 barrels by the completion of its No. 18, on the V. H. Coons farm located in section 3, of Marion township.

Sandusky county is not outdoing itself in the way of bringing in wells of large productiveness, and from late completions it can be seen that the average is comparatively low. However Straight & the Citizens' Savings Bank have something a little above the ordinary in their No. 13, on the P. H. Kickert farm, located in section 31, of Woodville township. Its production for the first twenty-four hours after the shot was 40 barrels. In section 2, of the same township, Hartman Bros. & Sparks, have completed their No. 7, on the H. P. Klausig farm, and have a 20 barrel.

Tait & Patterson have added two completions to their list in section 32 of Washington township. They are Nos. 3 and 5 on the P. A. Miller farm. The former is a 15 barrel, while the latter made 22 barrels during the first day of its existence. In section 12, W. H. Gilbert & Son have completed their No. 2, on the J. H. Avermyer farm, and have a 5 barrel, Van Vleck & Stowe's No. 19, on the J. O. Kille, section 32, Madison township, also made 5 barrels the first day.

Two wells have been completed in Wyandot county, which look like losing ventures. They are Brown and Stanley's No. 4, on the S. Mosier farm, section 7, Crane township, which is credited with an initial output of 2 barrels, and the Ohio Oil Co.'s No. 1, on the Jacob Still, with no production. However, there is some hope for this well, as there is considerable salt water in the hole, and when exhausted, it might turn in and produce a little of the more valuable fluid.

In Lucas county, Wirtz & McKendree have completed their No. 8, on the C. Fisher farm, section 17, Waterville township, and have a 10 barrel.

READ IT THROUGH.

"'Twould Spoil This Story to Tell It in The Headlines."

To use an eighteenth century phrase this is an "ever true tale." Having happened in a small Virginia town in the winter of 1892, it is a story very much of the present. Up to a short time ago, Mrs. John B. Harmon, of Melba Station, Va., had no personal knowledge of the rare curative properties of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. "Last January," she says, "my baby took a dreadful cold and at one time I feared she would have pneumonia, but one of my neighbors told me how this remedy had cured her little boy and I began giving it to my baby at once and it soon cured her. I heartily thank the manufacturers of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for placing so great a cure within my reach. I cannot recommend it too highly or say too much in its favor. I hope all who read this will try it and be convinced as I was." For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office cor.

Bill—Who was that girl you were walking up the avenue with yesterday?

Jill—You mean the one with the big mouth?

Bill—Why, yes, I said the one you were with, didn't I?

How To Cure a Cold.

Don't go to bed. Don't stop work. Don't take a Turkish bath and render yourself liable to an attack of pneumonia. Krause's Cold Cure, in convenient capsule form, will cure you in 24 hours. They are pleasant to take and cause no singing in your head or other disagreeable sensations. Price 25c. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

SPECIAL

Agents Weighing Mail for
Uncle Sam.

Every four years the postoffice department has the mails weighed during an entire month, in order to ascertain what it ought to pay the railroad companies for transportation. This work has heretofore been done by the postmasters, but this year it will be done on the trains by special agents appointed for that purpose.

The work began yesterday and three men arrived in this city this morning who will weigh on the trains between this city and Carey, Deshler and Ft. Wayne, respectively. The L. E. & W. road is probably furnished an agent from Lima on to Sandusky.—Findlay Jeffersonian.

THE FEAR OF HUMBUG

Prevents Many People from Trying a Good Medicine.

Stomach troubles are so common and in most cases so obstinate to cure that people are apt to look with suspicion on any remedy claiming to be a radical, permanent cure for dyspepsia and indigestion. Many such pride themselves on their acuteness in never being humbugged, especially in medicines.

This fear of being humbugged can be carried too far, so far, in fact, that many people suffer for years with weak digestion rather than risk a little time and money in faithfully testing the claims made of a preparation so reliable and universally used as Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Now Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are vastly different in one important respect from ordinary proprietary medicines for the reason that they are not a secret patent medicine, no secret is made of their ingredients, but analysis shows them to contain the natural digestive ferments, pure aseptic pepsin, the digestive acids, Golden Seal, bismuth, hydro-tus and nux. They are not cathartic, neither do they act powerfully on any organ, but they cure indigestion on the common sense plan of digesting the food eaten thoroughly before it has time to ferment, sour and cause the mischief. This is the only secret of their success.

Cathartic pills never have and never can cure indigestion and stomach troubles because the yact entirely on the bowels, whereas the whole trouble is really in the stomach.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets taken after meals digest the food. That is all there is to it. Food not digested or half digested is poison as it creates gas, acidity, headache, palpitation of the heart, loss of flesh and appetite and many other troubles which are often called by some other name.

They are sold by druggists everywhere at 50 cents per package.

LOYAL TEXANS

Celebrated the Anniversary
Fall of the Alamo Today.

Brenham, Texas, March 6.—Today, the anniversary of the fall of the Alamo, was appropriately observed here. The local chapter of the Daughters of the Republic visited Prairie, Lea and Masonic cemeteries and decorated with small Texas flags the graves of the veterans of the republic who fought for Texas independence.

What Is Life?

In the last analysis nobody knows, but we do know that it is under strict law. Abuse that law even slightly, pain results. Irregular living means derangement of the organs, resulting in constipation, headache or liver trouble. Dr. King's New Life Pills quickly re-adjust this. It's gentle, yet thorough. Only 25c at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner North and Main streets.

For the weak and delicately constituted, who take cold easily, Hage's Cordial of Cod Liver Oil with Hypophosphite of Lime and Soda is an ideal remedy.

It furnishes the resistive force that enables the system to repel the attacks of bronchitis, la grippe, coughs, colds, pneumonia, pleurisy, etc., by multiplying the number of red corpuscles in the blood.

Feeds the impoverished nerves; rebuilds the wasted tissues and produces strength and vigor throughout the entire body. Contains all the reconstructive properties of cod liver oil without the grease. A great tonic and revitalizer for wasted conditions. Pleasant to take.

Sold by all druggists. Prepared by Richardson Chemical Co., St. Louis, Mo.

PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned agents, will offer at public sale on
Saturday, March 7th, 1903
at the east door of the court house, in Lima, Allen County, Ohio, at one o'clock p. m., of said day, the following described property to-wit:
Being fifty-six and one-half (56 1/2) acres of land, part of the west 1/4 of the southeast 1/4 of section 22, Bath township, Allen County, Ohio, lying four miles (4) miles from the court house, east on the Lafayette pike, being the farm of Joseph Roush, deceased, all the heirs of said Joseph Roush deceased, joining in this sale.

Terms of sale: Cash. Deed to be given free and clear of all incumbrances, possession to be given April 1st, 1903.

CORNELIUS ROUSH.
ISAAC ROUSH

Feb. 26-d&w-4t.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

SUNDAY RATES.

The Chicago and Erie railroad will sell round trip tickets at one fare rate on Sundays. Tickets good on Sunday only and for return on train 8 Monday morning. 97-till-Apr 1

CASORIA.
The Kid You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. H. H. H.*

Wederly—My wife owes her dress-maker a little bill I must stop and pay it this morning.

Singleton—Why don't you give your wife the money and let her pay it?

Wederly—Not much. She would order another new dress.

Fearful Odds Against Him.
Bedridden, alone and destitute. Such, in brief was the condition of an old soldier by name of J. J. Havens, Versailles, O. For many years he was troubled with Kidney disease and neither doctors nor medicines gave him relief. At length he tried Electric Bitters. It put him on his feet in short order, and now he testifies "I am on the road to complete recovery." Best on earth for Liver and Kidney troubles and all forms of Stomach and Bowel Complaints. Only 50 cents. Guaranteed by H. F. Vorkamp, corner North and Main streets, druggist.

Wigg—Before they were married he said he would be willing to die for her.

Wagg—Well he has partially proved it. At any rate, he doesn't seem to earn a living for her.

PNEUMONIA FOLLOWS A COLD.
But never follows the use of Foley's Honey and Tar. It stops the cough, hoarseness and strengthens the lungs and affords perfect security from an attack of pneumonia. Refuse substitutes. For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

REISSELL'S ANTHROX cures all diseases of the skin, even when all other medicines fail. Get it at drug stores. Johnson, Holloway & Co., Philadelphia.

Pianos.

**The Whitney
& Currier Co.**

211 and 213 west High St.,

WILL OFFER THESE PIANOS AT the following prices. All bright and new from the factory.

One Mahogany case colonial style, 4 feet, 10 inches high, full swinging music desk, 3 pedals, 7 1/2 octaves. A really good piano and better than pianos sold by small dealers for \$300. Only \$168.00.

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It is to be dreaded than any other disease, because of the fact that it is so stealthy that it attracts little attention, and its end so full of pain that it boggles description. The first slight, wandering pains, a rule set down to rheumatism or neuralgia. The many little nervous symptoms, such as irritability, excitability, derangement of vision, shakiness, trembling and unsteadiness in walking are laid to a temporary nervous condition, and no particular attention paid to them until the pain becomes the limbs drag—the gait lurching or staggering, together with an inability to walk or stand in the dark, walk backwards or with the eyes closed. The victim realizes the true state of affairs and begins the struggle for life—a battle that was always against the sufferer until the advent of the Dr. A. W. Chase Nerve Pills, with their power to cure the disease, by going to the root of the trouble, enriching the blood, rebuilding the tissue and resupplying Nerve Force. It is the possession of these qualities that makes it possible to assert with all confidence that if fully and intelligently used, the Dr. A. W. Chase Nerve Pills are a positive cure for Locomotor Ataxia at any and all stages of the trouble.

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Before Sunrise on June Twenty-seventh.

Prisoner Stood Ordeal Much Better Than Last Days of the Trial

And While Hoping for Executive Clemency to Interfere Says If He Must Die, He Will Meet Death Bravely.

Albert Wade was sentenced to death yesterday by Judge Charles S. Reed of the common pleas court at Toledo. He will be electrocuted in the penitentiary at Columbus, before sunrise on June 27.

The intention to sentence Wade was known to but few as the officials did not wish to have a crowd present. However the court room was half filled.

Wade did not turn a hair when he heard the fatal words pronounced in the comment of the Toledo Bee. He looked better than he has for weeks, and he seemed in good spirits. He stood erect and looked steadily at Judge Reed while sentence was being pronounced.

After the solemn scene was over, Wade was taken quickly back to the jail by the deputy sheriffs. He was not nervous and walked out of the court room with a brisk step.

In passing sentence Judge Reed said:

"The jury in this case found you guilty of murder in the first degree with no recommendation of mercy. Have you anything to say why sentence should not be pronounced?"

There was nothing conciliatory or penitent in Wade's voice or manner. He arose to his feet and in a clear steady voice said:

"I didn't have a fair trial. I had no witnesses, and those who were against me swore falsely. I never was at the Sullivan house till I went there with the jury."

"Is that all?"

Yes, I guess so. Judge Reed's voice trembled as he went on with the dread duty of telling a man he must die.

"The testimony in this trial," he said, "showed very conclusively that you in company with certain others went in the dark of night to the home of these old women and in attempting robbery assaulted and killed Katherine Sullivan."

This is not a pleasant duty I have to perform but as an officer of the law it devolves upon me to do it, and I feel that I am not doing anything that will cause me regret in the future. "You committed a brutal assault

A Secret Disease

Of all human diseases, that known as contagious blood poison, the Bad Blood, has caused more misery and suffering and ruined more lives than all others combined. It not only wrecks the hopes and aspirations of the one who contracts it, but often the innocent are made to share the humiliation and disgrace of this most loathsome and hateful form of blood poison. Children inherit it from parents, and thousands of the parent men and women have been contaminated and ruined simply through handling the clothing of one infected with this awful malady, or drinking from the same vessel and using the same toilet articles. And when the real nature of the trouble is known, many prefer to suffer in silence or leave the disease to do its worst rather than make known their condition.

Through our Medical Department we offer advice and help. Write us freely about your case, as nothing you say will ever go beyond our office. Let us help you to get rid of this fearful disease, for which some one else no doubt is to blame.

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and an atrocious murder. Two old women living alone in a little house in a scheduled spot, were attacked at night by three big, strong men armed with clubs, and one of them was beaten so cruelly that her death resulted.

"The jury found you guilty. In all my experience on the bench I never looked into the faces of a more intelligent set of jurors. There was no escape for you after they had listened to all the testimony. The only question in the minds of the jurors was as to recommending mercy and they were unable to find one thing in the testimony to warrant them in saying to the court that you deserved the least consideration."

"It is the intent of the law not only to punish a criminal for his act but by doing so to deter others from becoming criminals. Your fate will be a warning to other young men who are entering upon a career of crime and it may cause them to turn back."

"You were born into the world with health and strength, and might have been a valuable member of society, yet you set all at defiance, and now while you are yet young and in the prime of life you find yourself face to face with the death penalty."

"Painful as it may be I shall do my duty. The sentence of this court is that you shall be taken from this court room to the county jail and that in 30 days you shall be removed to the Ohio penitentiary at Columbus, that on June 27, 1903, before the hour of sunrise, in an enclosure provided according to law for the purpose and by the warden or deputy a current of electricity shall be passed through your body and that it shall continue to be passed through your body until you are dead."

"And now, Mr. Wade, I hope and trust you will occupy the remaining days of your life in preparing your soul to meet its Maker. That is all."

Wade said to the reporters that he still had 100 days and that he had hope that the governor would do something for him.

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There was no argument over the motion for a new trial. Mr. Whitlock told Judge Reed that it might be overruled.

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Of the Missouri Pacific the Past Year

Is Expected to be Shown When the Annual Report is Submitted Tonight.

St. Louis Mo., March 6—It is expected in circles well informed on the business of the Gould roads that the annual report of the Missouri Pacific, to be submitted at the annual meeting in this city next week, will show the road's earnings during 1902 were at the rate of 10 per cent on the common stock. It is believed the earnings during the current year will amount to 14 or 15 per cent.

General freight traffic shows no sign of falling off during the year, while a great increase in grain to be moved from the Missouri Pacific territory is assured. In Kansas and Missouri the road's crop experts estimate the increase to be 400,000,000 bushels in corn and oats. The road's facilities have been increased during the last few years at a rate not exceeded by any road in the country. A proportionate increase in rolling stock and other new equipment will be made during the present year.

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The following letter from A. J. Nussbaum, of Baltimore, Ind., tells its own story. "I suffered for three months with a severe cold. A druggist prepared me some medicine, and a physician prescribed for me, yet I did not improve. I then tried Foley's Honey and Tar and eight doses cured me." Refuse substitutes. For sale by H. F. Vothkamp, corner North and Main streets.

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Fourth Ward—AARON ALBERT
For Constable
JOHN C. MOYER.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

County Treasurer.
We are authorized to announce the name of Chas. A. Phillips of the First ward, as a candidate for the office of County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Republican city convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of J. M. Arnold, as a candidate for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic of Allen county, at the county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Miner C. Crossley, of Lima, as a candidate for nomination for the office of county treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Arnold B. King, of Delphos, as candidate for nomination for County Treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of Wilbur Fisk, of Lima, as a candidate for county treasurer, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

For County Commissioner.
We are authorized to announce the name of Addison S. Hooker, of Spencerville as a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of A. L. Conrad, of Bluffton, Highland township, as a candidate for nomination for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of D. S. Corner, of Jackson township, as a candidate for County Commissioner, subject to the decision of the Democratic County convention.

County Surveyor.
I hereby announce my name as a candidate for nomination for County Surveyor, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.
C. C. CRAIG

We are authorized to announce the name of C. Z. Morer, of Spencer township as a candidate for Surveyor of Allen county, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

Infirmary Director.
Robert Kirafo, of Gurman township is a candidate for the nomination of Infirmary Director, subject to the decision of the Democratic county convention.

We are authorized to announce the name of C. H. Mosier, of Marion township, as a candidate for the nomination of Infirmary Director of Allen County, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

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of the Democratic county convention.

REPUBLICAN ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Mayor.
Please announce that L. F. Lawdick is a candidate for Mayor of Lima, subject to the Republican Primary.

For Constable.
Daniel B. Miller wishes to announce his candidacy for re-nomination by the Republicans of Lima for the position of Constable.

CROWNSHIELD RETIRES.

The retirement of Crownsfield into private life does not elicit any expressions of regret even from Republican newspapers. He is regarded as a snob and as such is entitled to the contempt of the people generally. In commenting upon his retirement, the Toledo Times, a strong Republican journal, says:

The news from Europe, that Rear Admiral Crownsfield has asked the navy department to give him permission to retire, for the reason that he does not feel that his present flag-ship, the cruiser Chicago, is up to the full measure of his dignity and greatness, will come to the American people very gratefully. In the case of Crownsfield, there is nothing they want so much quite as his retirement. If they are disposed to quarrel at all with the present outcome, it will be with the fact of his being permitted to go out of the active service at his own request instead of at the request of the department, for which it would seem there was excuse long ago. The American people have no love for this man Crownsfield. They remember him chiefly as the head of a clique in the navy department, which, by reason of its machinations against the actual heroes of the naval service, men who had shown the highest courage and capability in fighting for their country, was able to throw a cloud upon the glory of our naval achievements during the Spanish-American war and to prevent the just promotion and recognition, not only officially but in public sentiment of those who had done the most splendid service.

As chief of the bureau of navigation this vindictive officer, remembering a court-martial experience of which he had been the just victim, prevented Commodore Schley and Admiral Buncer from being given the assignment to duty which their service deserved and their record fully warranted and passed over their heads, for the single purpose of their humiliation, a man inferior in rank and record if his bad spirit had stooped here, he might have been forgiven, but when destiny threw the man he had attempted to slight in the way of opportunity and he responded grandly to that opportunity in behalf of his country, the head of the bureau of navigation, using the power which had been given him for the service of his country, hatched up and put into execution the vilest and most damnable schemes to rob the victor of his just honor and to give it to another who was not even present in the fight. The part which Crownsfield played in the game to destroy the professional reputation of one of the first naval captains of his time is well known to the American people and is and has been resented by them overwhelmingly. They felt outraged when this man was assigned to so honorable a post as that of commander of the European squadron in the conduct of which he early showed his incompetency. Having in mind his record of vindictive machination, they will be delighted to hear that his name is to pass off of the active roll of the navy and that he is to become, without the consolations of an honorable record, a naval has-been.

The manner in which Crownsfield retires fully vindicates the national estimate of him. He goes out of the service because the navy department, in its wisdom as to the disposal of the vessels at its command, does not accord him as his personal flagship the finest boat it now has in the service. Crownsfield was apologetic for a number of years by having things his own way in the navy. Instead of submitting to the commands of the secretary he was accustomed to issuing commands to the secretary. In this way he got used to ruling things until he became swelled to the idea that he

was the whole navy department. Secretary Moody evidently got tired of this soon after he took charge of the portfolio and decided to run the department himself. Accordingly, he assigned to the commander of the European squadron such a vessel as he thought was proper for him and when this over-important commander resented the designation, he was undoubtedly very glad to accept his retirement and get rid entirely of his offensive bumpkinousness. At any rate, it is entirely agreeable all around to have the naval career of this man Crownsfield terminate at once.

"A dose in time saves five." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup; nature's remedy for coughs, colds, pulmonary diseases of every sort.

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The Weather.

Washington, March 6.—For Ohio Rain tonight and Saturday

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Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Baughens, of Toledo, will spend Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Cross.
Cliff J. Cross, of Charleston, W. Va., will spend Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Cross.

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SPECIAL VALUES IN TABLE LINENS, TOWELS AND NAPKINS FOR SATURDAY AT R. T. GREGG & COMPANY'S.

THE BOW IN WAR.

How It Was Made and Used by the Asiatic Tribesmen.

The bow as used by Asiatic horsemen assumes a curious shape. They were made of horn, generally buffalo horn, in two pieces, joined by a wooden center, and when unstrung had the form of a capital C, which enabled them to be hung over the arm on horseback. When strung, a difficult feat to those unused to them, they took the double curve of the antique bow as seen in the representation of Cupid. This was the "Tartar's bow," used by the Scythians, Parthians and Persians and up to quite recent times in India. It was drawn by the thumb alone, on six of the horn were a broad, thick tuck of horn, ivory or coralline, on whose edge the bowstring rested.

The long bow was also much in use among Indian infantry of the middle ages, but neither they nor any other Asiatics appear to have done such execution as the English archers of the same period. Bernier says, describing a battle between Aurangzeb and his brother Dara: "They draw their arrows with a marvelous swiftness, one man being able to draw six of them before a musketeer can discharge twice; but, to say truth, their arrows do but little execution. More of them are lost in the air or broken on the ground than hit."

The bow, in fact, requires more than any other weapon constant practice from childhood, and strong Englishmen of the present day are quite unable to use the bows of the half human Minicopis of the Andamans.—Chambers Journal.

How the Springboks Travel.

The springboks of South Africa migrate in vast bands moving in a compact body and carrying everything before them. If a flock of sheep be in the line of march, as sometimes happens, it is surrounded, enveloped and becomes, willingly or unwillingly, part of the springbok army. An African hunter tells the strange story of seeing a lion in the midst of the antelopes, forced to join the march. It is supposed that the lion had sprung too far for his prey, that those upon whom he alighted reviled sufficiently to allow him to reach the ground, and then the pressure from both flanks and the rear prevented him from escaping from his strange captivity.

If the springbok travels in such armies, how can those in the middle and in the rear find food? In this wise: Those in the front ranks, after they have eaten greedily of the pasture, gradually fall out of the ranks to rest and chew the cud, while the hungry ones in the rear come up, and so the columns are all the while changing.

ONE TRAIN EACH DAY

THE FUNNY METHODS OF A FUNNY LITTLE RAILROAD.

On This Line You May Find the Train With an Umbrella, and the Engineer Will Back Up a Couple of Miles to Get a Forgotten Pipe.

"Just hold up your umbrella, sir, and she'll stop at once," was the cheery response given an inquiry as to the possibility of boarding an approaching train on its way from Wadebridge to Bodwin, two queer old towns in Cornwall, England. Up went the umbrella, and sure enough the driver shut off steam and pulled up just in front of the would be passenger. And what a sight it was!

The engine was constructed in George Stephenson's time and, I believe, under his personal supervision. But the carriages! There were two of them, first and third class, respectively. The first class accommodation consisted of an open truck, such as one sees daily in New York cutting cotton bales or other merchandise, but provided with some benches, hard and uncomfortable as it seemed, however, it was luxurious compared to the third class carriage, which was neither more nor less than a common closed van such as cattle or furniture are conveyed in, and boasted neither seats, buffers nor springs. Third class fare was but 11 cents, but the first class passengers were indicted in the sum of 25 cents for a journey of barely seven miles.

The engine driver, who officiated incidentally as conductor, brakeman, guard and porter, came around collecting the tariff.

A little conversation elicited some surprising facts in connection with this absurd out of date line. Formerly it had been the custom to sell tickets at the terminus, little triangular blue and white bits of pasteboard, with a hole in the middle, so that the ticket collector (also engine driver, stoker, etc.) could file them away on a string. But, alas, the ravages of time spare not even railway tickets, and eventually they were all worn out! So now the fares are collected on board. The rate of speed was strictly limited to ten miles an hour, but incidental delays, such as picking up passengers, chasing stray hats, removing cattle or sheep from the track, took up so much time that not infrequently an hour and a half or more was consumed in covering the short distance. I may mention that passengers picked up on the wayside paid no regular fare, but merely tipped the engineer.

The need of these tables was unknown, for the train ran but one way each day, and arranged the time of departure to suit intending travelers. It is related with much gusto in those parts that two commercial travelers once arrived at Bodwin just in time to see the train round a curve some quarter of a mile off. Turning to the next station master, Mr. Worth, one of them inquired at what hour the next train would leave. "Day after tomorrow," laconically answered that official.

The astonished drummer looked at him pityingly and, undying his explanation, whispered, "Poor fellow, he's crazy." But they were soon undeceived and, learning the true state of the case, hired a cart at some expense to accomplish their journey. What was their mortification, after proceeding a couple of miles, to see the train put back to Bodwin, because, as they subsequently discovered, the engineer had forgotten to bring his pipe along!

An interesting function always took place whenever an incline was reached. The driver, having regulated the speed of his iron horse, would climb out on the front of the engine, and, sitting between the buffers, strew sand on the rails, occasionally it has happened that the supply of sand proving insufficient, the engine would steam away to the depot in search of more.

The country through which the little railway passes is of a high order of beauty and affords many picturesque glimpses. Bodwin itself is a quaint little town that dates back to the days of the Phoenicians and in later times was of much importance. This may be judged from the fact that it supported a cathedral and no less than 15 other churches. The remains of an old leper house are still to be seen, commemorative of the terrible scourge that in 1350 ravaged the whole country around. But, alas, the solemn march of progress is already beginning to destroy this relic of bygone days, and the ruthless hand of contractors and navies are paving the way for an ordinary common, everyday service of express and milk trains, and the inhabitants are deploring the loss of their steady going, if slow and uncomfortable, old train.—Los Angeles Times.

Walking Correctly.

Many children are taught at home and at school to walk on their toes. This will do to a sick room when one has squeaking shoes, but it is not natural or elegant. Put the heels down lightly at first and the toes last; this keeps the body erect, instead of bending the body forward, as a person must who walks on his toes. Walking should be more thoroughly taught in our gymnastic schools. It costs little to learn to walk correctly, and it is well worth while to spend a little time to acquire the art.—New York Telegram.

That's the Way It Feels.

A wee maiden had the misfortune to fall down stairs the other day, and that part of the anatomy commonly denominated the "funny bone" came in contact with the wall. On being picked up and asked if she was hurt, she rubbed her arm for a moment and said, "No, but my elbow is awful dizzy."—Elton Signal.

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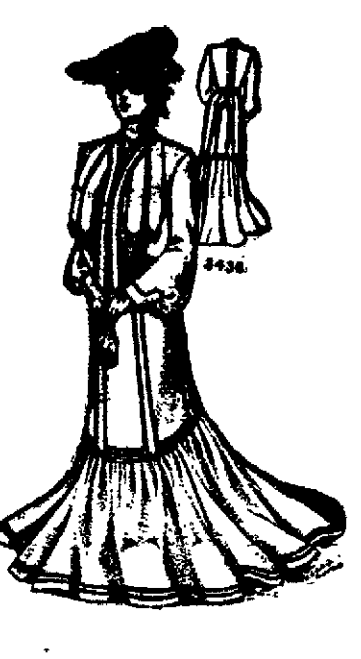
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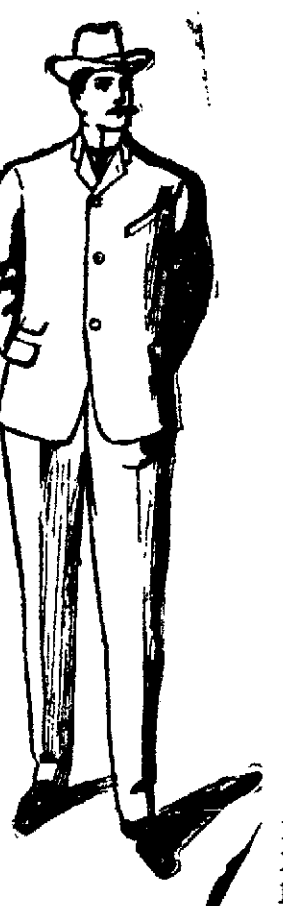
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FOR SALE—Good horse. Call at 814 south Main street. 3-3t

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Spring Hosiery for Men, Women and Children.

Ladies' fast black fleece lined Hose, 2 pair for 25c.
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Ladies' fancy colored polka-dot Hose, at 19c pair.
Men's fine quality fast black half Hose, 15c the pair.

Boys' extra heavy fast black ribbed Hose, with strong double knee, regular value 25c, at 19c the pair.
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THAT Love sometimes cures disease is a fact that has recently been called to the attention of the public by a prominent physician and college professor in some nervous diseases of women, such as hysteria, this physician gives instances where women were put in a pleasant frame of mind, were made happy by falling in love, and in consequence were cured of their nervous troubles—the weak, nervous system toned and stimulated by little Dr. Cupid—became strong and vigorous, almost without their knowledge. Love is not, however, the cure for all women. Many a woman is nervous and irritable, feels dragged down and worn out for no reason that she can think of. She may be ever so much in love, but Dr. Cupid fails to cure her. In such cases the body is not sound—the nervousness and other symptoms are telegraphed all over the body by the nerves (which is the telegraphic system of the human body) because the weak spot demands attention. In ninety-nine per cent of these cases it is the womanly organism which requires attention; the weak back, dizzy spells and

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He Forget One Very Important Thing, However, and His Last Flunging Wager Brought Ruin and Tragedy in Its Wake.

A gentleman who lives in the Blue Grass and who has been a very extensive traveler has a silver service so magnificent in design and heavy in weight that its peers in the whole world may be numbered on the fingers of one hand. The owner is even now, when past middle age, a "good fellow," who loves conviviality, and no game is too hazardous for him if he has the amount of the stakes. He takes pleasure in telling the history of his service, as it concerns the most audacious game of chance he ever witnessed.

"When I was in Bolivia some years ago," he always begins, "I got in with a crowd of men, English and natives. Whose passion for gambling knew no bounds. Strange as it may seem, none of them knew poker, and I made myself solid with them by teaching them, but their great game was roulette."

"There was a little shop in Bogota, where they had a miniature Monte Carlo, and many nights did we spend around the great wheel, with our money and prospects hanging on the black or red. The wheel was entirely made of wood, and when it spun around a cover was put over the machine so that they could keep on betting when it had ceased to turn."

"There is a worn down there in that climate that gets into furniture and holes into nothing but a shell is left. You may sit on a chair that looks perfectly strong, but at the first touch it collapses. This seems irrelevant but it is not, as you may see later. In fact, that worn plays the little role in the tragedy I am going to tell."

"There was a wealthy Bolivian planter who had been a general in the war between Bolivia and Chile back in the early eighties. He was never about a night from our games, but he would frequently stand about for a week and never make a bet larger than \$10. Then he would suddenly cry out just as the operator was about to lift the cover and register the highest bet the house would permit. Next he would place all the money he could find takers for among the gentlemen present. Before the season was far advanced he had won great sums, and we had all felt the results of his freakish luck. It seemed that when he played 7-black he could not lose, and he seemed to realize it, for when he did call that number he would put all he owned in the balance."

"Still he was a gentleman and a famous duelist, and no one cared to question his methods. It went on this way for two months. Then one night the wheel stopped, and there was the silence of the pines in the room. We could hear the distant tinkling of a mandolin. The planter leaped up as from a cat-lepsy. 'Seven-black, señores. I will take all any of you or all of you will bet.' Well, I had been winning strong and was so much to the good that I was reckless."

"Five dollars," I said. "Good, señor," he replied. "He placed his entire fortune in different wagers. There were a number of strangers present, and they all seemed big fish. Then slowly, as a priest officiating at some solemn, barbaric ceremony, the banker removed the top. We all stood for a moment, and the tension was such that a carriage wheel on the cobblestones outside made no start. 'Red,' came the announcement."

"The Bolivian was white as snow, but his voice was unshaken as he said: 'Gentlemen, you shall all be paid. As for me, I am ruined.' "That night he shot himself, and his will, which had been written just before his death, arranged for the payment of all his debts. I was to receive the service for my share, though it is worth much more. But what I valued much more than that was the value in which he expressed his attachment for me and asked me to accept the silver as a gift and not a debt."

"He left also a curious manuscript, written some time before, which seemed to be a sort of private journal. He stated in this that his ears were so accurate that he could detect the difference between the fall of a pin and a needle. One night, so he says, he heard the ball fall into the compartment with a hollow thud, and when the machine was opened he made note of the number and color, 7-black. Later, when alone for a moment, he found that the compartment had bored under that compartment. He sounded the excavation with a straw and found that it extended no farther than that one number. Then all he had to do was to listen and when his acute hearing told him that his number had come to get all the money possible on it."

"Yes, gentlemen, he had all his plans laid to perfection. There was only one weak spot in his calculations. He forgot that those worms could keep on boring."—Louisville Evening Post.

THE QUANT JAPANESE.

Facilities in Their Methods of Living and Eating.

Beauty, from a Japanese standpoint, consists in a long, oval face, regular features, almond shaped eyes, sloping slightly upward, a high, narrow forehead and abundance of smooth, black hair. Their movements are graceful, although the style of their dress prevents them walking with ease; their feet and hands are delicately formed and their manners unquestionably charming.

They take little or no exercise, and one wonders sometimes how the little ladies employ their time—there seems so little to be done in a Japanese house. To begin with, there are no regular meals. The shops near at hand supply daily numberless little dishes, which seem to be eaten at all hours of the day and night—a few pecks at a time—with those impossible little chopsticks. Very little is left in the larder except some slices of daikon, fermented turnip, some rice and sweet biscuits.

"The honorable five fish" is sold by men who carry large water tubs from house to house and cut off as much as is required from the unfortunate fish and replace the sadly mutilated but still struggling remains back in the tub.

Eggs are cheap and plentiful. Bread is never used, so there is no necessity for an oven.

The great stand by is tea. A Japanese lady is seldom seen in her home without the quaint little tea tray by her side, and the inevitable pipe, containing one whiff of tobacco, which is in constant requisition.—Cornhill Magazine.

PRETTY CLEVER HORSE.

Never Tied by Its Master Because It Knew So Much.

"You see that little horse over there," said Major Tom Williams, standing on the edge of the sidewalk viewing a small black pony. "That horse has more of the traditional horse sense than his size would show for." He continued, "Watch him."

The major whistled a few times, and the little horse, which was nibbling from a bale of hay on the sidewalk, raised his head and crossed the street. He brought the cart to which he was attached at a standstill just in front of the major.

"You see," said Major Williams, "that horse has an eye for distance. I couldn't have driven him better than that. That horse, too, is a natural scavenger. He will pick up anything he sees on the street, if he wants to eat it. I never hitch him when I get out of the team, and he goes the length of the block picking up banana peels, eating hay, corn or anything he takes a fancy to. When I want him, I only need to whistle."

At this point a large, white dog brushed against the major with a friendly wag of the tail.

"You never saw that dog kiss the pony, did you? Well, watch him." Major Williams climbed into his cart, and, calling the dog, said, "Kiss him." Without a moment's hesitation the dog ran to the head of the horse, and, "kissed" the pony several times.—New York Mail and Express.

La grippe coughs yield quickly to the wonderful curative qualities of Foley's Honey and Tar. There is nothing else "just as good." H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

Looking For It. There is a patent lawyer in town who has a number of very bright children, so bright, indeed, that their fun-loving "dad" is invariably forgiven for telling "what my boy said" to the men in his office. Here is the latest:

"I've got a tool chest out at my house that would make a carpenter sick with envy. I've been buying tools for it for 20 years. Of course I never let the youngsters touch it."

"The other day my wife went up stairs and found 'Bookie,' my youngest, 2½ years old, monkeying with that chest. He had the lid up and his head thrust in under it."

"Bookie," said my wife, "what are you looking for?"

"And the youngster, knowing he had been caught, looked up and with a twinkle in his eye said:

"Lookin' for trouble!"—Chicago News.

Weight of Paper Wrapping. A gentleman of Baltimore who has been a close student of household economies has made a comparison of the weight of paper to the weight of food supplies purchased for a family and in one day's purchases found that the paper wrappings amounted to about 10 per cent of the total. In a list of supplies costing about \$1.48, he found that the paper, weighed to weight and which was weighed with the provisions, cost him 14½ cents. This, he claims, is altogether out of just proportion.—Baltimore Sun.

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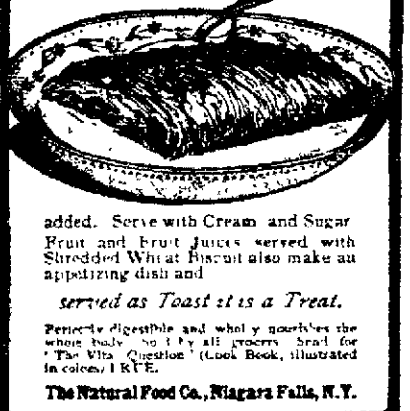
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DETROIT SOUTHERN.

Time of trains leaving Lima, Ohio.

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"LOST MONDAY."

A Paganist Free Day in Belgium Whose Origin Is a Mystery.

The first Monday after Epiphany is a festive day throughout Belgium. "Lost Monday" is a day of mystery. The origin of the day is lost in the legends of the middle ages, but the modern acceptance of the day is certainly lost to no one here. Like Mardi Gras, Lost Monday is a day of general merry-making. Every cafe and restaurant in Brussels keeps "open house," and free drinks are on hand for all patrons of the establishment, and as a matter of fact for many of the city's residents are not regular patrons.

On "Lost Monday," then, as it is fondly called by some of the natives, not every hand is out of the pocket, and the streets of Brussels are given over to the people, and the individual's foreigner who is ignorant of the country's customs, ventures out, is up to find that the Belgian populace is no respecter of persons. On this day the shopkeepers, smiling behind their counters, and themselves compelled to hand over to their customers' servants a forced contribution, according to a certain percentage of the year's purchases, with the bakers, too have a contribution to offer in the shape of cakes specially made for the occasion and offered as gifts to their clientele.

In this manner the unique fete is perpetuated though the calendar does not note in any particular manner the first Monday after Epiphany.

CASTORIA.

The Kind You Have Always Bought.

There is a person known as the "crow's beak" which was formerly much in use among men of rank in Persia and north India. It was a horseman's weapon and consisted of a broad curved dagger blade fixed at right angles to a shaft, pike-staff fashion. The shaft inclosed a dagger, unswerving at the butt end. This concealed dagger is a very common feature of Indian arms and especially of the battle axes of Persia.

If it's a bilious attack, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick recovery is certain. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

Great men should think of opportunity and not of time. Time is the excuse of feeble minded and puzzled spirits. — Emerson.

DANGERS OF PNEUMONIA.

A case at this time if neglected is liable to cause pneumonia which is no joke. In fact, even when the patient has recovered the lungs are weakened, making them peculiarly susceptible to the development of consumption. Foley's Lung and Kidney Pills will stop the cough, heal and strengthen the lungs and prevent pneumonia.

Where the Other Half Was.

A young minister in the course of an eloquent sermon on the pomp and vanities of the world staggered his congregation by exclaiming:

"Here am I standing here preaching to you with only half a shirt on my back, while you sit there covered with your gowns and other bables."

The next day a parcel containing several brand new shirts was left at his house by one of his hearers, a kind hearted old lady. Meeting the donor a few days afterward, he thanked her exceedingly, but expressed much surprise at receiving such an unexpected gift.

"Oh," said the lady, "you mentioned in your sermon on Sunday that you had only half a shirt on your back."

"Quite true," added his reverence, "but you seem to forget the other half was in front!"—London Tit-Bits.

Bucklen's Arnica Salve.

Has world-wide fame for marvelous cures. It surpasses any other salve, ointment or balm for cuts, corns, burns, boils, sores, feliens, ulcers, tetor, salt rheum, fever sores, chapped hands, skin eruptions, unparelled for aches. Cures guaranteed. Only 15 cents at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store, corner North and Main streets.

Undusted Their Mitts.

Johnson was once asked by a friend upon what occasion in his life he had "dusted the greatest pleasure in knowing that he was a poet." "It was when a letter from the Right came to my house in Christiana," he answered, "and I smashed all the windows. Because when they had thus attacked me and were starting for home again they felt that they ought to sing something, and so they began to sing. 'Yes, we love this land of ours.' They couldn't do anything else. They had to sing the song of the man whom they had attacked."

Nervous Like a Flat-iron.

A woman who suffered for three years from nervous prostration says two bottles of Light's Celery Nerve Compound effected a complete cure. She hardly knows today whether she has nerves or not, as she never feels them. It is certainly a wonderful remedy. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

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With family around expecting him to die, and a son riding for life, 15 miles, to get Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption, coughs and colds, W. H. Brown, of Leesville, Ind., endured death's agonies from asthma, but this wonderful medicine gave instant relief and soon cured him. His words: "I now sleep soundly every night." Like marvelous cures of consumption, pneumonia, bronchitis, coughs, colds and grip, prove its matchless merit for all throat and lung troubles. Guaranteed bottles 50 cents and \$1.00. Trial bottle free at H. F. Vorkamp's drug store.

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It is all to suggest that should be cleansed.

Ely's Cream Balm

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Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. It is not drying, does not produce sneezing. Large tin, 50 cents at Drug stores or by mail. Trial Size, 10 cents by mail.

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Not Responsible.

"Say, what right have you got to kick?" asked the man. "You never vote."

"That's just the reason I have a right to kick," said the tall man with the unhappy look. "As long as I don't vote I am not to blame for the actions of the fellows that are elected."—Indianapolis Press.

Coronach is a name formerly used for the funeral dirge among the Irish and Scotch highlanders. The dirge, coined in Scotland, is in Ireland commonly known as the "keon."

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Mr. and Mrs. Stephens are the Proud Parents of Twins.

Rev. J. Vuker, a Converted Jew, Will Assist Rev. G. W. Schmitz in a Series of Special Meetings.

At Vaughnsville, Wednesday, the committee in charge of the arrangements for the Methodist Sunday School Convention to be held at that place Friday, March 20th, met and perfected details. Five state workers are expected to attend and deliver addresses. A number from this city will witness the exercises.

Next Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock the first session of the joint convention of the Auglaize Baptist Sunday school association and the Baptist Young People's Union will convene at the south Lima Baptist church. It is expected that several hundred delegates and visitors from surrounding cities will attend.

Arrangements Completed.

Preparations for the obsequies of Loren Rise, and Frank Newell, the two men who were victims of the deplorable fatality at the Solar railway Wednesday afternoon, have all been completed. The funeral services will be conducted at the south Lima Church of Christ, tomorrow afternoon at two o'clock.

Ritualistic services over the remains of Frank Newell will be conducted by Solar lodge of Odd Fellows, of which deceased was an esteemed member.

A similar tribute will be paid to the memory of Loren Rise, by the Independent Order of Foresters with which lodge he was prominently identified. The interments will be made in Woodlawn cemetery.

Discontinued Business.

John Lump, who has been engaged in business at the corner of East Vine street and St. Johns avenue, has discontinued it. The room vacated will be occupied by a store conducted by C. F. Brookings.

Wagon Damaged.

The horse attached to the wagon employed in collecting the mail in this portion of the city, ran away on Second street, yesterday afternoon. The mail wagon was considerably damaged before the horse was brought under control.

New Arrivals.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. Stephens, of 386 south Jackson street, were delighted this morning by the arrival at their home of twin babies, a boy and a girl.

Union Revival.

There is considerable agitation relative to the inauguration of a union revival service to be held in this city in the near future under the auspices of the pastors union. It is proposed to employ union evangelists and continue the meetings about two weeks. The undertaking has not, however, been definitely decided upon. All the local ministers have been invited to consider the proposition.

Will Weigh Mail.

Frank C. Posing, of 668 Linden street, who was recently appointed a weigher of the mails has gone to Cincinnati, to assume his duties. It will require several weeks to complete the task.

Lewis Chum Married.

Friends and relatives in this city of

Lewis Chum, will be interested in the announcement of his marriage to Miss Edna B. Greenwalt, of North Washington. The wedding occurred Tuesday at Kenton.

Taylor Signed.
Edward Taylor, of Kenton, who frequently visits here, and is well known to many in this city, has signed as pitcher for the Ft. Wayne base ball team.

Harris Released.

Guy Harris, formerly of this city, who received considerable notoriety by his alleged connection with the Anna Snyder, murder case at Toledo some time ago, has been released and is now residing temporarily with his grandmother, Mrs. Harris, at Ada.

Attended Meeting.

W. T. Copeland, was the guest of honor last night of the lodge of Modern Woodmen at Ada. The specific object of his visit was to explain the new readjustment.

Have Moved Here.

Abraham Scott and family, of Waynesfield have removed to this city where they will reside in the future. Mr. Scott having taken a position here.

At Columbus Hospital.

Local relatives of Mrs. Harriet Myers, of Ada, were sorry to learn that she has been taken to a hospital at Columbus, where she will submit to a severe surgical operation. Her condition is such as to cause her friends and relatives to be apprehensive of her ultimate recovery. Mrs. Myers is quite well known to many in this city who will regret to learn of her illness.

Important Announcement.

Rev. George W. Schmitz, pastor of the south Lima Baptist church, announces that he will begin a series of evangelistic services at his church after the convention next week. He will be assisted by the Rev. J. Vuker, a converted Jew. The public generally is invited to attend these services.

Regarding People.

J. C. Cooper, master mechanic of the Toledo and Ohio Central railroad shops at Kenton, called upon south Main street friends today.

Mrs. M. S. Bowser, wife of Dr. Bowser, of 606 south Main street, who recently returned from Cleveland, where she submitted to a delicate surgical operation at the Homeopathic hospital is again able to be about her home and is rapidly convalescing from the severe, but very successful operation which was performed by Dr. Wood.

Clyde Hamers, of Kenton, returned home this morning after a brief visit with friends in this city.

W. E. Powell, returned yesterday for a four weeks visit at his home in Lewisburg.

Frank Doran, of south Main street, was taken to the city hospital yesterday.

Roland Shaffer, of south Main street, returned today from Muncie.

Frank Van Riper, of Kenton, visited here today.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lowrey, of south Elizabeth street, are being entertained by relatives at Ada.

GEORGE WASHINGTON'S QUEUE.

It Hid a Luxuriant Suit of Straight and Very Dark Hair.

The Father of his Country concealed a luxuriant suit of hair beneath his queue wig. Many now wish the old fashion were in vogue to conceal thinned hair or baldness. Yet no one need have thin hair nor be bald, if he cure the dandruff that causes both. Dandruff can not be cured by scouring the scalp, because it is a germ disease and the germ has to be killed. Newbro's Herpicide kills the dandruff germ—no other hair preparation will. "Destroy the cause, you remove the effect." There's no cure for dandruff but to kill the germ.

Send 10 cents in stamps for sample. The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, druggist.

Colds are Dangerous.

How often you hear it remarked: "It's only a cold," and a few days later learn that the man is on his back with pneumonia. This is of such common occurrence that a cold, however slight, should not be disregarded. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy counteracts any tendency toward pneumonia. It always cures and is pleasant to take. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

OHIO BRAINS

Contest for Mastery in a Debate Tonight.

Columbus, O., March 6.—The chosen representatives of Ohio Wesleyan university and Ohio State university meet in debate at the last-named institution tonight and the contest promises to be the event of the college year. The question selected for debate is: "Resolved, that the concentration of municipal administrative power in the mayor is preferable to its distribution among elective boards or officers."

The Ohio state team is composed of Ernest S. Millin, Stanley F. Rankin, and George P. Hahn. The visiting debaters are D. F. Edwards, W. M. Waitney and E. L. Steel.

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Oregon is said to have a white sunflower which grows wild in some localities in the valleys of the Blue mountains.

Cross is the quickest growing of plants. Under perfect conditions it will flower and seed within eight days of planting.

A northern aspect for the orchard gives a colder and later soil and retards the blossoming until a later period, thus lessening the danger from spring frosts.

If for no other reason than his habit of late blooming, the salvia deserves a place in every garden. Nothing can be more splendid than a well grown bed of salvia in early autumn.

The finest house plants grow where the temperature does not get above 70 degrees nor lower than 60 degrees. But most of us would think we were freezing to death in rooms of the best temperature for plants, 65 degrees.

Wakeful Children.

For a long time the two year old child of Mr. P. L. McPherson, 59 north Tenth street, Harrisburg, Pa., would sleep but two or three hours in the early part of the night, which made it very hard for her parents. Her mother concluded that the child had stomach trouble, and gave her half of one of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, which quieted her stomach and she slept the whole night through. Two boxes of these Tablets have effected a permanent cure and she is now well and strong. For sale by W. M. Melville, old post office corner.

SPECIAL EXCURSION TO TOLEDO.

Sunday, March 8th, occasion of the grand celebration of Pope Leo XIII. Tickets on sale for train leaving Lima at 7:43 a. m.

Leave Toledo returning at 3:40 and 11:50 p. m. Rate \$1.25.

Krause's Cold Cure.

For colds in the head, chest, throat or any portion of the body, breaks up a cold in 24 hours without interruption to work. Will prevent colds taken when first symptoms appear. Price 25 cents. Sold by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner.

ICE IN YOUR RIVERS

Ice Congests and Stops Commerce—So Uric Acid Flakes Rheumatic Pains.

Imagine how your bones would feel if they were bumped and buffeted by a river of floating ice. If you have Rheumatism you know the twinges and spasms of pain in your body. Uric acid is the cause of it—it floats in your blood like ice in a river, clogging and poisoning your entire system. You cannot be freed from Rheumatism until you dispel the Uric acid. Athlophoros will dissolve it, and you will note immediate lessening of pain.

Your entire system will feel better, and if you have had kidney trouble or any organic difficulty you will note a marked improvement at once—one bottle will prove if it is helping you, and you will find the dollar to be your best investment if Athlophoros works on you as it does on others. If your druggist doesn't keep it send \$1 to The Athlophoros Co., New Haven, Conn. If your case is peculiar, write us about it.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of
Dr. J. C. F. Schmidt, Fletcher.
Use For Over Thirty Years
CASTORIA
THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

The Light That Failed.

Mrs. A.—When I was engaged to my husband, he was the very light of my existence.

Miss D.—And now—
Mrs. A.—The light goes out every night.—Brooklyn Life.

Things do not go wrong of themselves; somebody pushes them.—Puck.

RAW OR INFLAMED LUNGS

Find rapidly to the wonderful curative and healing qualities of Foley's honey and Tar. It prevents pneumonia and consumption from a hard cold settled on the lungs.

H. F. Vorkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

LEGAL NOTICE.

(Case No. 11411.)
Armstead Williams, plaintiff,
vs.
Mary Williams, defendant.

The defendant, whose name is unknown, will take notice that the plaintiff has filed a petition against her for a divorce, March 5, 1903, in the court of common pleas, Allen county, Ohio. The grounds for divorce are, that the defendant has been wilfully absent for more than three years last past; that defendant has been guilty of habitual drunkenness; that defendant has committed adultery. The defendant is required to answer by the 10th day of April, 1903.

ARMSTEAD WILLIAMS.
By R. L. Armstrong, his attorney.
March 5-6wks.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Harry Buell whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 4th day of March, A. D. 1903, Jamina C. Buell in the common pleas court, where action is now pending being cause number 11408 the undersigned has filed her petition against the said Harry Buell, praying for a divorce from him on the ground of wilful absence, gross neglect of duty and habitual drunkenness. Said cause will be for hearing on or after 15th day of April A. D. 1903.

JAMINA C. BUELL.
By her attorney,
JOHN H. KLATTE. 1-6wks

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Martin Kelly deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administratrix of the estate of Martin Kelly late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 3rd day of March, A. D. 1903.

CATHARINE KELLY,
Administratrix.
Mottet, Mackenzie & Weadock,
120-3w Attorneys.

LEGAL NOTICE.

The undersigned has been duly appointed and qualified as assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Harmon Kizenski. All persons owing said Harmon Kizenski will make payment to the undersigned, and those having claims against said Harmon Kizenski present them properly verified to the undersigned assignee.

W. T. Copeland, assignee in trust for the benefit of the creditors of Harmon Kizenski. 103-3wks

COPPELAND & ROGERS, Attorneys.

LEGAL NOTICE.

(Case No. 11381.)
A. D. Atkins, plaintiff,
vs.
The Cleveland-Spencerville Oil Company, et al., defendants.
In court of common pleas, Allen county, Ohio.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale issued in the above entitled cause, and to me directed, I will offer at public sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, March 7, 1903,

between the hours of one and two o'clock p. m., the following described property, to-wit:

Lease and leasehold estate upon the lands of C. D. Mouser, being the west half of the northwest quarter of section thirty-five, township three, south of range four east, excepting twenty acres off the north end thereof, which lease was executed to one G. W. Schrimshaw and by him transferred to E. W. Muntz, and by said Muntz transferred to the Cleveland-Spencerville Oil Company, said real estate being situated in Spencer township, Allen county, Ohio; also

Lease and leasehold estate upon that part of the lands of Jacob Keith situated in the northeast quarter of section twelve, township four, south of range four east, lying north of the Lima road and east of the C. H. & D. railroad, excepting lots number 900, 601, lots No. 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, subdivision of section twelve for tax purposes, containing one hundred and forty acres of land in Allen county, Ohio, said lease being in favor of G. W. Schrimshaw and by him transferred to E. W. Muntz and by said Muntz transferred and assigned to the Cleveland-Spencerville Oil Company, and upon which said lease and leasehold estate are located and to be sold five producing oil wells, one complete drilling rig power, tanks, boiler, leadlines, gas lines, pull rod lines, and any and all equipment used in and about the operation of said property for oil and gas purposes.

The property above described being appraised at fifty-one hundred (\$5100) dollars.

Said property will be sold for not less than two thirds the appraisement; terms of sale, cash.

A. D. ATKINS,
Receiver of the Cleveland-Spencerville Oil Company.
CABLE & PARMENTER,
Feb. 3-tu-wed-5w Attorneys.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Mary E. Teegarden, Plaintiff,
vs.
Michael Teegarden, Defendant.

The defendant, Michael Teegarden, residing at Pleasant Lake, Steuben county, and state of Indiana, will take notice that on the 10th day of February, 1903, the said plaintiff, Mary E. Teegarden, filed her petition in the court of common pleas of Allen county, Ohio, being cause No. 11374, praying a divorce from said defendant, Michael Teegarden, on the ground of gross neglect of duty, and for alimony to be charged on defendant's interest in real and personal estate; for decree extinguishing lien of defendant on real estate, and divesting dower of defendant in real estate; and praying for an injunction restraining defendant from selling or encumbering his said interest in real estate, which restraining order has been allowed, and for other and further proper relief which she may be entitled to; and that said cause will be for hearing on and after the 28th day of March, 1903.

MARY E. TEEGARDEN,
By Prophet & Eastman, attorneys for plaintiff.
Feb. 10-tues-weds-6 wks.

LEGAL NOTICE.

William Gibson and Lillie Gibson, who reside at Louisville, state of Kentucky, will take notice that Mary Gibson, as executrix of the estate of Henry Gibson, deceased, on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1903, filed her petition in the probate court, of Allen county, Ohio, and being cause No. 7614 alleging that the personal estate of said decedent is insufficient to pay his debts, and costs of administering his estate; that he died seized in fee simple of the following described real estate, situated in the city of Lima county of Allen, and state of Ohio, and

Being all that part of lot number twenty-six (26), new number seven hundred and fifty-four (754), in McCullough's addition to the said city of Lima, excepting therefrom the west one hundred and twenty (120) feet heretofore sold, by the said Henry Gibson, to Adam Herold, as found in volume 80, at page 43, of the deed records of Allen county, Ohio.

Said premises remaining being eighty (80) feet more or less, fronting on east McClellan street and extending north therefrom fifty (50) feet.

That Mary Gibson, widow of said decedent, is entitled to a life estate, in said real estate, under and by virtue of the terms and provisions of the will of said Henry Gibson, deceased. The prayer of said petition is that said property be ordered sold to pay the debts and charges, aforesaid against said estate.

William Gibson and Lillie Gibson are hereby notified that they have been parties defendant to said petition and that they are required to answer on or before the 21st day of March A. D. 1903.

Lima, Ohio, February 6th, 1903.

MARY GIBSON,
As Executrix of the Estate of Henry Gibson, deceased.
By T. R. HAMILTON, Her Attorney. Feb. 6-7w

LEGAL NOTICE.

John Kenyon, Eliza Kenyon, Charles Kenyon and Mary Kenyon, who reside at the village of Montross, in the state of Michigan; Lucrose Wagner and Stephen Wagner, who reside at the town of Lemington, Ontario, Canada; Anna Rouse and John Rouse, who reside in the village of Durand in the state of Michigan and Pauline Westcott, now residing in Hingham, China, will take notice that Wm. Boogher, administrator of the estate of Physell Fantz, deceased, on the 30th day January A. D. 1903, filed his petition in the probate court, within and for the county of Allen and state of Ohio, alleging that the personal estate of said decedent is insufficient to pay her debts and the charges of administering her estate. That she died seized in fee simple of the following described real estate situated in said county, to-wit:

Lot numbers fifty-seven (57) and fifty-eight (58) in the village of Hume Allen county, Ohio.

Said persons will further take notice that they have been made parties defendant to said petition and that they are required to answer the same on or before the 14th day of March, A. D. 1903.

Wm. BOOGHER, Administrator.
By A. S. GRAHAM his attorney.
Jan. 30, 1903-6wks.

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Edwin E. McCall, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Edwin E. McCall, late of Allen county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 27th day of February, A. D. 1903.

E. A. DEAN,
Leete & Brotherton, attorneys. 117-3w

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Jane Hermann, deceased. The undersigned has been appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Jane Hermann, late of Allen County, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 23rd day of Feb. A. D. 1903.

AARON ALBERT,
13-3wks.

LEGAL NOTICE.

Jessie Carson, whose place of residence is unknown, will take notice that on the 21st day of February, A. D. 1903, Kit Carson filed his petition in the court of common pleas of Allen County, Ohio, against said defendant in case No. 11390, praying for a divorce from said defendant on the grounds of gross neglect of duty, and that she is required to make answer in said cause to said petition on or before the 4th day of April, A. D. 1903, or judgment will be taken against her.

12-6wks. KIT CARSON.
By J. D. ARMSTRONG, Attorney.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

(Case No. 11126.)
Clara T. Sullivan, plaintiff,
vs.
Edward W. Parrott, et al., defendant.

Allen Common Pleas.
By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, March 21st, A. D. 1903,

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in the city of Lima, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

The undivided one-half (1/2) of the following described property: Inlot No. (1038); Inlot No. (.639); the east half of Inlot No. (1042), and the west half of Inlot No. (1043) in the city of Lima, Ohio, subject to the life estate therein of Susan Lanney.

The same being situated north of Eureka street between Jackson street and Lanney avenue.

Appraised at \$1800.00.

Terms: Cash.
E. J. BARR, Sheriff.
Allen County, Ohio.

Lima, Ohio, Feb. 13, 1903-11
WHEELER & BENTLEY,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

(Case No. 9972.)
The Tecumseh Gravel Co., plaintiff,
vs.
Wilbert A. Carey, et al., defendant.

Allen Common Pleas.
By virtue of an order of sale, issued from the court of common pleas, of Allen county, Ohio, and to me directed, I will offer for sale at the east door of the court house in Lima, Allen county, Ohio, on

Saturday, March 14, 1903,

between the hours of one o'clock and four o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenements, situated in Shawnee township, Allen county, state of Ohio, and described as follows, to-wit:

The undivided one-half (1/2) part of the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section seventeen (17) township four (4) south, range six (6) east, containing forty (40) acres of land more or less.

Appraised at \$800.

Terms: Cash.
E. J. BARR,
Sheriff, Allen County, O.

T. R. Hamilton, plaintiff's attorney.
Lima, O., February 10, 1903. 11

Foley's Kidney

and Bladder
Cures Kidney and Bladder

PARTY

Prejudices are All Forgotten

By Tax Payers

Who Read the List of Candidates

Placed in Nomination by Democrats in Yesterday's Convention.

The Ticket is Commended to the Business Judgment of the Citizens for Election on the Sixth of April.

The verdict of the citizens of Lima generally, regardless of party affiliation, is that the Democratic city convention nominated an excellent, strong ticket yesterday afternoon. No other result could have been possible, for the unsuccessful candidates were also excellent men and it would have been impossible for the convention to have selected a ticket from the list of candidates that would not have commended itself to the confidence and good business judgment of the citizens and tax payers generally.

The inauguration of the new code of laws governing the municipalities of Ohio marks an epoch in politics this spring and with Judge Robb at the head of the Democratic forces the good government of the city with an able and judicious interpretation of the new code is assured.

Some of the anti-Hall men of the Republican party of Lima, have been very greatly displeased because the contest at the Republican polls Wednesday evening has been referred to as a fight between Arch Campbell and Geo. Hall. They admit that they wanted to wrest the city organization from the control of Hall, but to accept Campbell and Sanford as the leaders they are pleased to pose as on the anti-Hall side—never.

Two new announcements appear in the list of Republican candidates for board of public service. The new aspirants are Mr. W. H. Standish, of the second ward, and Charles Santtag. There are now ten candidates in the Republican list for this office—F. A. Holland, C. H. Truesdale, J. H. M. Morrison, J. W. Orr, W. H. Standish, K. Boone, James Langdon, R. E. Davis, Sam Abbott and Charles Santtag.

A new Republican candidate for the office of president of the city council appeared in the list of announcements this morning. Clark Hoyt, of the Second ward, will contest with George Newson for that nomination. Mr. Hoyt served one term as a member of the city council from the old Sixth ward, and then declined to be a candidate for reelection. Mr. Newson was his successor as a councilman from the old Sixth.

J. A. McCartney, the well known postal clerk, has announced himself a candidate for member of the council from the Fourth ward, in opposition on the Republican ticket to Aaron Sherman, who is a candidate for reelection. Both aspirants are identified with the Hall wing of the Republican party but

there are some long knives out for him. Standing on account of his connection with that Minneapolis-Cincinnati fire engine truck. Some of the mud that is being loaded into the Fourth ward outspout for use in this fight is rather sticky.

Charley Phillips, of the east Market street ring, has launched into the Republican primary fight as a candidate for city treasurer, locking horns with Wm. Melville. One would think that the trimming Harry McCune received at the hands of Al. McNeany would make Charley "sore o' skeerd."

The claims that Arch Campbell and Dr. Landick are setting up for the credit for the defeat given George Hall's crowd Wednesday night have had considerable weight in the fight between Rogers and Landick for the Republican majority nomination. There were many Republicans who wanted Hall and his crowd of favorites turned down but they will vote for Rogers for the majority nomination rather than permit Campbell to have the credit for his defeat.

A TRIAL ORDER.

Is all we ask. You take no chance whatever. We guarantee a perfect fit. If not no sale. Is not this a fair proposition. Every garment is cut to your measurement. None but union tailors employed.

We represent the largest tailoring house in the United States (Desbecker Block & Co., of Buffalo, New York.) Suits made to order \$9 and up. Overcoats made to order \$10 and up. Pants made to order \$3.00 and up. Fancy Vests made to order \$2 and up. Suits ready to wear, \$5, \$7, \$9, \$10. See them before you buy, at THE LIMA CLOTHING PARLOR, 115 east Market street.

FRESH FISH AT ARNDT'S GROCERY 314 SOUTH MAIN ST. 1-2t

One jar apple butter 25 cents at Smith's. 1-4t

VICIOUS ASSAULT.

Carl Altschul while out on a collecting tour late this afternoon was assaulted by Eddie Atkinson and Chut Hall about 200 feet south of McClean's grocery and seriously injured.

It is supposed to have been an intention to rob him of a large sum of money which he had received from south Lima customers. The victim was struck on the head and rendered unconscious.

SMART STYLES IN STEIN-BLOCH SPRING SUITS ARRIVED. MICHAEL'S. 3-2t

THE HOME MISSIONARY SOCIETY OF TRINITY M. E. CHURCH, WILL SERVE SUPPER FROM 5 UNTIL 8 O'CLOCK, SATURDAY EVENING IN THE MASONIC BUILDING, CORNER HIGH AND ELIZABETH STREETS. PRICE 25 CENTS. 1t

Herman Belling, leading teacher of Toledo and well known to music lovers of Lima and vicinity, has arranged to visit Lima every Wednesday to give piano lessons.

If interested, please address: HERMAN BELLING, 713 Superior Street, Toledo, O. Or care of Box 4 Lima. 21-ecdt

Hives are a terrible torment to the little folks, and to some older ones. Easily cured. Doan's Ointment never fails. Instant relief, permanent cure. At any drug store, 60 cents.

Geese, squabs, Belgian Hares, chickens, shrimps, crab meat, oysters and fish at Townsends.

WILL

Continue to Operate in Ohio.

The Penna. Co.

Wins a Victory in the Supreme Court.

Relief Department Not Considered an Insurance Business.

Comparative Statement of Detroit Southern Earnings—Lake Shore Salaries Advanced—Railroad News.

The supreme court, at Columbus, yesterday, gave out the syllabus of its decision in the Pennsylvania railway relief fund matter.

The attorney general, on behalf of employees of the company, sought to prevent the Pennsylvania from continuing its relief department work on the ground that the charter of the company did not permit insurance business.

The court held against the attorney general. The syllabus reads:

"An association established by a railway company, composed of some or all of its employees and the company, for the purpose of accumulating and maintaining a relief fund created by the voluntary contributions from their wages by employees who apply for membership in said fund and are admitted, the railway company to take charge of and be responsible for the funds, make up deficiencies in the same supply facilities for conducting the business and pay the operating expenses, supply surgical attendance for injuries received in its service, and to pay the members of their designated beneficiaries the stated share of the benefit fund so raised from wages retained by the company, is not an insurance company or association; and in agreeing to perform, and in performing each and all of said acts, such railway company is not engaged in the transaction of insurance business."

The said act, of the railway company are within the implied powers of a railway corporation and are not ultra vires.

Nor are they contrary to public policy.

Paid the Debt.

Passenger Traffic Manager Edwards of the C. H. & D. road yesterday received a letter from a Zanesville man enclosing 50 cents. The writer stated that 26 years ago he had a ride of seven miles on a C. H. & D. train, for which he did not pay. Having become a church member, he said he wanted to pay up and the 50 cents would square the account, with interest, for 26 years.

Salaries Advanced.

The Lake Shore railroad company has sent out official notice to the effect that the salaries of all its station men will be increased from \$3 to \$10 a month, to take effect at once.

This means an advance of \$10,000 a year on the pay roll of the Michigan division alone and an advance of about \$75,000 on the entire system. The advance was made voluntarily.

Detroit Southern Earnings. The comparative statement of gross earnings issued by the Detroit Southern for the month of February is as follows:

1903 \$119,554.13
1902 83,298.54

Increase \$36,255.68
From the 1st of July last to March 1 the gross earnings were \$908,057.00 being an increase of \$121,091.77 over the earnings for the corresponding period of the preceding fiscal year.

R—R—

Goes With Storrs.

The many friends of A. J. Kohne, of 2006 Adams street, will be pleased to learn of his promotion with the Lake Shore road. Bert, as he is familiarly known, was recently employed as an operator in the Lake Shore dispatcher's office at the Union depot, but since Tuesday he has been private stenographer and operator for H. S. Storrs, assistant general superintendent of the Lake Shore road. His new duties are similar to those of a private secretary, and take him all over the Lake Shore system, with Mr. Storrs in the latter's private car. When Mr. Storrs is not on the road Bert is with him in his private office at Cleveland. Considering there are 600 or 700 operators in the employ of the Lake Shore road, and only two other men holding similar positions to the one now occupied by Mr. Kohne, the honor that goes with his promotion is no small

one, and the beauty of it is that the promotion came unsolicited, a pleasant surprise to the popular young man—Toledo Times.

C. H. & D. Appointments. F. O. Schliep, who has been connected with the baggage department of the C. H. & D. has been appointed Traveling Passenger Agent of the company with headquarters at Hamilton. He succeeds Ira Schwegel, who left the services of the company on the 1st inst to take service with the Wisconsin Central here as successor to the late Tom Campbell, says the Enquirer. B. McDougal, who is Assistant Ticket Agent at the C. H. & D. depot ticket office here, has been appointed City Passenger agent of the company at Toledo, succeeding W. H. Golden, who has resigned to take service elsewhere. Both of the above named appointments are effective on the 15th inst.

TO THE LADIES.

DON'T MISS THE KO-WE-SA FRUIT AND VEGETABLE SHOW AT DIMOND BROS. SATURDAY. WHEN MR. AND MRS. FRANK CLARK WILL SAMPLE AND DEMONSTRATE TO YOU THE SUPERIOR QUALITY OF THESE GOODS.

ANOTHER

Large Audience Greeted the Great Musician.

Prof. Wm. Carl Rendered a Fine Program at St. Paul's Lutheran Church Last Night.

For the second time the music loving people of Lima have sat through a program which had for its chief attraction Wm. C. Carl, of New York, the eminent organist who is a product of the French Guilmant school. Mr. Carl made his first appearance in Lima two years ago when he delighted a magnificent audience at St. Paul's Lutheran church.

The grand effects of the pipe organ were brought forth by his magic hand in such masterful manner as to earn for him the plaudits of a most appreciative assembly, many of whom were able, at least in the style of a latter day school to offer unprejudiced criticisms.

The return of Mr. Carl was the signal for another large attendance at St. Paul's last night, and his playing was such as to enthrall even those who scarcely understood, and even less appreciate, the close alliance between the professor and the strictly classical. The entertainment, considering that it was free to everybody, was all the more meritorious as such high class talent is seldom offered to a public without a high premium attached.

THE NETTLETON SHOE IS A GENTLEMAN'S SHOE. MICHAEL'S. 3-2t

LAWRENCE

Was Finally Caught Dead to Rights.

Watch Which He is Said to Have Stolen a Year Ago Found in His Possession.

The fact that Bert Lawrence was suspected of having stolen a watch a year ago from a daughter of Mrs. Robinson, of east Market street, whose home is at Columbus Grove, was not forgotten by the police and they have been waiting for a chance to get him with some evidence of guilt to work on.

Lawrence is today occupying a cell in the city prison, and the watch, which has been fully identified in the possession of city detective Hugh Patton, who with officer Ferguson made the arrest at the corner of Elm and Main street.


Lawrence was brought out for a hearing this morning. He pleaded not guilty and his trial was set for next Monday. Mayor Rogers fixed his bond at \$100, which the prisoner was unable to furnish and he was sent back to his cell.

SPRING STYLES IN NETTLETON \$5 SHOES FOR MEN ARRIVED AT MICHAEL'S. 3-2t

BORROWED, STRAYED OR PURLOINED STONE LAWN ROLLER.

If any of the many neighbors to whom I have lent my lawn roller for the last twenty years (excepting the last three years, when I could not find who the last fellow was that borrowed it) will let me know where it is, I will send for it and cheerfully continue to lend it. As it is now out of sight it does none of us any good and we will all need it this spring.

Help us to find it, and oblige,
HIRSH A. HOLLIDAY




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Tailor-made Suits and Skirts

Exceptional good values in well made stylish suits in all materials, all shades and prices. Fit guaranteed.

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Stylish Venetian Cloth Suit, trimmed in taffeta bands, at **\$10.00.**

New blouse front, puff sleeves, broad-cloth and Cheviot Suits at **\$15.00.**

Canvas Cloth Suit, blouse front beautiful trimmed in braid, puff sleeves, at **\$20.00.**

Zebeline Suits, medallion trimmed, blue, black and brown, at **\$25.00.**

Blouse Jacket Suit, fine French broad-cloth, white piping and braid trimmed, at **\$30.00.**


Tailored Skirts.
Etamine Skirts, Peau-de-Soie bands at **\$15.00.**

Black Voile Skirts, silk folds, at **\$12.00 and \$15.00.**

Black and Blue Voile Skirts, braid trimmed, at **\$20.00.**

Walking Skirts.
Very complete line of new styles in Walking Skirts, all colors, at from **\$2.75 to \$12.50.**

Silk Jackets.
The very latest styles in Silk Monte Carlo Coats and Blouse Jackets, at **\$10, \$14, \$19, \$22.50 and \$25.**




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Suit House.

55-57 Public square.



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Spring Suits and Overcoats.

They are here in all their freshness and beauty. We want you to notice the cut of our new suits. They have the style, material and durability in them. They are the celebrated Hart, Schaffner & Marx ready to wear clothes, and if you don't think they're as good as they cost, you can have your money back.

\$12, \$15, \$16.50, \$18, \$20, \$22 and \$25.

Then we have an excellent line of clothing worth from \$5.00 to \$12. They are good suits.

Children's Clothing.

We are thoroughly prepared for the little fellows. Our Children's Department is full of the newest products for spring, at \$1.50 to \$7.00.

We are always first with the New Spring Hat—in fact everything new at

MORRIS BROS.,

217 North Main Street. LIMA, OHIO.

RUNS AND SHIPMENTS.

Following are the runs for Mar. 1 and shipments for Mar. 5

National Transit Co.

Runs 21,872.72

Shipments 34,837.13

S. W. Penna P. L.

Runs 11,876.03

Shipments 2,247.13

Eureka P. L. Co.

Runs 16,789.02

Shipments 1,949.13

B. P. L. Co.—Macksburg oil.

Runs 16,841.52

B. P. L. Co.—Lima oil.

Runs 29,938.07

Shipments 49,963.15

Indiana P. L. Co.

Runs 20,791.07

Shipments 61,665.16

N. Y. Trans. Co.

Shipments 20,105.54

Southern P. L. Co.

Shipments 24,955.46

Crescent P. L. Co.

Shipments 6,489.46

Cumberland P. L. Co.

Runs 1,128.23

Shipments 185.19

For month of March will sell standard tomatoes 10 cents per can at Smith's 1-4t.

One gallon can canned apples 25c at Smith's. 1-4t.

KO-WE-SA STANDS FOR THE BEST IN CANNED GOODS. A FULL LINE WILL BE CUT AND DEMONSTRATED AT OUR STORE SATURDAY. COME IN AND SAMPLE THEM. DIMOND BROS., SOLE AGENTS.

NEW MAPLE SUGAR AT PIPER'S GROCERY.

THE STAGE.

The rich costumes used in the presentation of "San Toy" by the Augustin Daly Musical Company are said to be absolutely correct and exactly similar to those worn by high caste Chinamen in their native country. In fact, many of the dresses worn have been imported directly from the flowery kingdom.

The Augustin Daly Musical Company still numbers in its ranks most of the original members of the organization that were last seen in New York in "San Toy". An orchestra is carried by the company, which will be augmented by the addition of the local organization both to be under the leadership of John Braham. "San Toy" will be at the Faurot opera house tonight.

OOOOO

When Lincoln J. Carter purchased "Alaska" from W. L. Rockwood, its author, Mr. Carter being a playwright himself would not have purchased this piece of theatrical property had he not been thoroughly convinced that it was something out of the ordinary.

His first move after obtaining possession of "Alaska" he sent Mr. H. J. Buhler, of the firm Buhler and Mann, scenic artists, to Aukutan, the land adjacent to Alaska and where the local of the play is situated, that Mr. Buhler might possess himself of photographs whereby he could reproduce upon canvas a fac-simile of the country and its surroundings, and how faithfully he has fulfilled his part of the contract will be testified to by the audience of the Faurot opera house where "Alaska" will be produced for matinee and night, tomorrow.

Faurot Opera House.

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